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Applicant: Michael W. ANDERSON

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Group, Karl E.

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For: REFRACTORY SYSTEM FOR GLASS MELTING FURNACES

Attorney Docket No: 1870-339

TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop: Amendment
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Sir:

Attached are:

☒ Transmittal Letter (in dup); Petition and Fee for Extension of Time – one month (in dup); Amendment B (8 pgs); checks for \$60 and \$150; and

☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

☒ An extension fee in the amount of \$60 for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

☒ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total	23	Minus	21	2	1 x \$25=	\$ 50		x \$50=	
Indep.	4	Minus	3	1	2 x 100=	\$ 100		x \$200=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$180=			+ \$360=	
					Total	\$ 150		Total	\$

Fee payment:

☒ Checks in the amount of \$60 (petition) and \$150 (additional claims) are enclosed.

☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

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